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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified patent application preliminarily as follows. A marked-up version of the amendments is enclosed herewith for the Examiner's convenience.

In the Specification

Please amend the specification as follows:

Paragraph beginning at page 5, line 27:

FIG. 1C is a front view of a miniaturized mobile detector module in an exemplary UV version attached to the base of the CE system of Figs. 1A and 1B;